



**Governor Ehrlich Encourages Outstanding Marylanders
to Apply to The White House Fellows Program!**

You can become a part of America's most prestigious program for leadership and public service. Founded in 1964, the White House Fellows program offers exceptional young men and women first-hand experience working at the highest levels of the Federal government.

White House Fellows typically spend a year working as full-time, paid special assistants to senior White House Staff, the Vice President, Cabinet Secretaries, and other top-ranking government officials. Fellows also participate in an education program consisting of roundtable discussions with renowned leaders from the private and public sectors, and trips to study U.S. policy in action both domestically and internationally.

Applications must be postmarked by February 1, 2006 for the 2006-2007 class.

Fellowships are awarded on a strictly non-partisan basis. Applicants must be U.S. citizens. Employees of the Federal government are not eligible unless they are career military personnel. There are no age restrictions; however the program was created to give remarkable young Americans this experience early in their careers. Most competitive applicants have completed their graduate studies and are working in their chosen professions at the time of consideration.

The program has fostered a legacy of leadership, with nearly 600 alumni who are respected leaders. Alumni include Secretary of State Colin Powell, Secretary of Labor Elaine Chao, former CNN President Tom Johnson, and American Red Cross President Marsha Evans.

For more information and to download an application, please visit the program web site at www.whitehouse.gov/fellows.